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December 19, 2012

Lenny Boteilho Ames Construction 3737 West 2100 South West Valley City, Utah 84120

Subject: Final Approval of Permit Transfer, Ames Construction Company, Lincoln Pit, M/049/0086,

Utah County, Utah

Dear Boteilho:

On December 17, 2012, the Director of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining approved the replacement surety and reclamation contract for the transfer of the Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations (NOI) for the referenced project from OMAG to Ames Construction Company. You are now solely responsible to conduct mining and reclamation as outlined in the NOI. OMAG is hereby released from any further reclamation liability under this permit.

Please note that this letter does not constitute approval of the NOI, but simply approval of the corporate change with this operation. Final approval of the NOI will not occur until after the public comment period ends in January 2013.

Thank you for patience in completing this permit transfer. Please refer to file M/049/0086 in any correspondence regarding this operation. Please contact Lynn Kunzler at 801-538-5310 or me at 801-538-5261 if you have questions regarding this letter.

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Paul Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Copy of the Reclamation Contract and surety rider

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